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Description: ff. 22 - Twentieth century. Wooden boards and brown calf spine. Endleaves are fragments of a Missal (Italy, 15th century). - Purchased 1996 from Bernard Quaritch, London, on the Edwin J. Beinecke Fund.

Notes: -Manuscript on parchment, composed in two parts of different age and origin, of 1) Macer Floridus (Odo of Meung, c. 1070), *De viribus herbarum*. 2) Fragments of a Missal: (a) Third Sunday of Lent. (b) Saturday after the first Sunday of Lent. (c) Second Sunday of Lent.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

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Language: Latin *Country:* Germany; Italy *Century:* 12th

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Part 1:

Description: - parchment - 200 or 175 x 125 mm.

Country: Germany; Italy

Region: Germany; Italy

Assigned Date: [between 1150 and 1200; 1450 and 1500]

Dated by scribe: No

Document: No

Cardinal point:

City:

Searchable Date Range: 1150 - 1500

Inscribed Date:

Number of Scribes:

Script: Part I (ff. 1-10): Copied by one hand writing Praegothica with wide distance between the lines. Part II (ff. 11-22): Copied by one hand in Gothico-Humanistica Libraria.

Notes: Part I: Red (?) chapter headings in larger script written at the right of the text. Red paragraph marks. Red heightening of majuscules on ff. 1r and 10 v only. 2-line (exceptionally 1- or 3-line) early flourished initials in red with red flourishing (red filling on f. 10r). 5-line red, blue and white initial with strapwork decoration on f. 1r. Part II: Chapter headings in red, centered. Red 2-line plain initials (Capitalis). Part II adapted to the size of part I by pasting strips of parchment to the bottom of the bifolios. The five outer bifolios (ff. 11-15 and 18-22) are palimpsest: leaves from a manuscript in two columns, the text transversal to the textus rescriptus; the inner bifolium (ff. 16-17) is of bad quality; the upper corners of ff. 11 and 22 are missing with loss of text and have been repaired with blank parchment. Binding: Twentieth century. Wooden boards and brown calf spine. Endleaves are fragments of a Missal (Italy, 15th century).

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Author: Macer Floridus.

Title: Macer Floridus.

Subjects: Macer, Floridus.; Herbs.; Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.; Science, Medieval.;

Language(s): Latin